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**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

**FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

***Filing Date Granted***

**Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$65** for a Small Entity

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Applicant : Stern et al.  
Serial No. : 10/823,866  
Filed : April 14, 2004  
Title : MAJOR HISTOCOMPATIBILITY COMPLEX (MHC)-PEPTIDE ARRAYS  
Art Unit : 1632  
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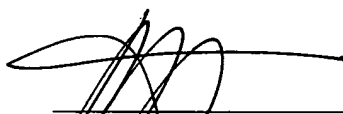
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR §1.53(b) mailed June 24, 2004 (copy enclosed), applicant claims small entity status (see 37 CFR 1.27) and submits herewith the following:

- ☒ A check in the total amount of \$65 is attached for payment of the surcharge for late filing of the declaration;
- ☒ A signed Declaration by the Inventors in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63;

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 07917-212001.

Respectfully submitted,

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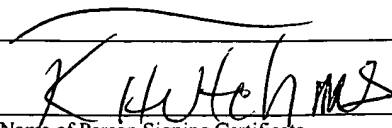
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